



Map the Meal Gap 2014:

Overall Food Insecurity in Florida by County in 2012 ¹



County	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance ²	
				% below 200% poverty	% above 200% poverty
				SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEFAP	Charitable Response
Alachua	247,973	19.1%	47,410	70%	31%
Baker	27,010	15.8%	4,280	64%	36%
Bay	168,957	16.4%	27,730	64%	36%
Bradford	28,404	16.9%	4,810	72%	28%
Brevard	544,019	15.2%	82,740	61%	39%
Broward	1,761,993	15.6%	274,550	69%	31%
Calhoun	14,639	17.6%	2,570	76%	24%
Charlotte	160,380	14.2%	22,750	61%	39%
Citrus	140,805	15.1%	21,210	68%	32%
Clay	190,891	13.4%	25,630	56%	44%
Collier	323,548	13.3%	42,980	70%	30%
Columbia	67,546	17.7%	11,930	80%	20%
DeSoto	34,628	16.9%	5,870	86%	15%
Dixie	16,301	17.3%	2,810	80%	20%
Duval	866,431	18.8%	162,950	67%	33%
Escambia	298,864	18.3%	54,770	67%	34%
Flagler	95,987	16.3%	15,620	66%	34%
Franklin	11,545	17.5%	2,020	58%	42%
Gadsden	46,823	23.2%	10,880	81%	19%
Gilchrist	16,880	15.7%	2,650	75%	25%
Glades	12,952	16.6%	2,150	77%	23%
Gulf	15,796	17.5%	2,760	67%	33%
Hamilton	14,728	20.4%	3,010	67%	33%
Hardee	27,347	16.2%	4,440	92%	8%
Hendry	38,669	18.7%	7,240	90%	10%
Hernando	172,784	15.4%	26,520	70%	30%
Highlands	98,734	15.6%	15,390	81%	19%
Hillsborough	1,238,365	16.5%	204,240	70%	30%
Holmes	19,971	15.9%	3,170	77%	23%
Indian River	138,203	15.9%	21,990	68%	32%
Jackson	49,589	16.4%	8,140	67%	33%
Jefferson	14,564	18.4%	2,680	73%	27%
Lafayette	8,668	15.6%	1,350	70%	30%
Lake	297,995	14.7%	43,860	65%	35%
Lee	624,155	14.8%	92,130	70%	30%
Leon	276,506	20.4%	56,290	67%	34%
Levy	40,541	17.0%	6,870	81%	19%
Liberty	8,300	16.6%	1,380	61%	39%
Madison	19,187	20.6%	3,940	77%	23%
Manatee	324,834	15.0%	48,670	67%	33%
Marion	331,987	16.4%	54,610	73%	27%
Martin	146,497	13.9%	20,430	60%	40%
Miami-Dade	2,512,219	15.3%	384,390	85%	15%
Monroe	73,475	12.9%	9,460	70%	30%
Nassau	73,303	13.5%	9,880	58%	42%
Okaloosa	183,400	14.5%	26,600	60%	40%
Okeechobee	39,779	17.6%	6,990	88%	12%
Orange	1,153,795	16.9%	194,550	74%	26%
Osceola	272,355	14.7%	39,930	86%	15%
Palm Beach	1,324,085	15.4%	203,520	66%	35%
Pasco	465,276	14.8%	68,790	67%	33%
Pinellas	917,389	15.7%	144,350	62%	38%
Polk	604,562	16.7%	101,060	76%	25%
Putnam	74,224	19.3%	14,290	85%	15%
St. Johns	191,495	12.7%	24,320	48%	53%
St. Lucie	278,246	17.3%	48,230	71%	29%
Santa Rosa	153,086	13.8%	21,080	56%	44%

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Sarasota	380,479	14.1%	53,820	59%	41%
Seminole	423,389	13.8%	58,350	58%	42%
Sumter	94,240	12.6%	11,850	53%	47%
Suwannee	42,287	16.8%	7,090	81%	19%
Taylor	22,561	17.4%	3,920	75%	25%
Union	15,400	17.8%	2,740	55%	45%
Volusia	495,581	15.6%	77,460	68%	32%
Wakulla	30,449	14.5%	4,410	53%	47%
Walton	55,349	14.2%	7,860	67%	33%
Washington	24,732	17.6%	4,360	71%	29%
State Total^b	19,317,568	17.9%	3,448,220	73.5%	26.5%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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¹Map the Meal Gap's food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2012 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2012 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2012 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.